

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification starting at line 7 on page 30 with the following replacement paragraph:

The method [[700A]] 700B next includes the microcontroller 320 reading the contents of the status register, in block 755. The method 700B determines if there is a system error, in decision block 760. If there are no system errors, in decision block 760, then the method [[700A]] 700B returns to the resetting the watchdog timer 310, in block 720. If there are system errors, in decision block 760, then the microcontroller 320 notifies a remote management console of the system error over the network, in block 775. Access to the network may be through the NIC 109 or through the Ethernet 344 in the ASF south bridge 212.